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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

GANGFENG CAI
TA YEN CHING
HU YANG

Serial No.: 09/664,993

Filed: September 18, 2000

For: OXYGEN SCAVENGERS WITH REDUCED
OXIDATION PRODUCTS FOR USE IN RIGID
BEVERAGE AND FOOD CONTAINERS

Group Art Unit: 1772

Examiner: Sandra M. Nolan

Attorney Docket: 2039.006100/RFE
(09/127316US1)

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. 1.114

a. ☐ Previously submitted

i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 previously filed
on _____

(Any unentered amendments referred to above will be entered).

ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously
filed on _____

iii. ☐ Other _____

b. ☒ Enclosed

i. ☐ Amendment/Reply iii. ☒ Third Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declarations iv. ☐ Other _____

2.

Miscellaneous

a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37
CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not
exceed 3 months. Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) **required**)

b. ☐ Other _____

3.

Fees

 The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. 1.114 when
the RCE is filed.

a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any
overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0786 if check missing or insufficient

i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e)

ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17)

iii. ☐ Other _____

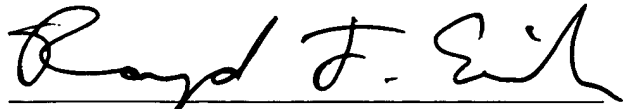
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